

REMARKS

The Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed September 21, 2007 states that in the Response filed on June 27, 2007 each claim has not been provided with the proper status identifier, and as such, the individual status of each claim cannot be identified. In response, Applicants have corrected the status identifier error. In view of the Response filed herein, Applicant respectfully submits that all claims are properly listed and are in condition for examination on their merits. Subsequent to the entry of the present amendment, Claims 32-54 are pending and at issue.

Conclusion

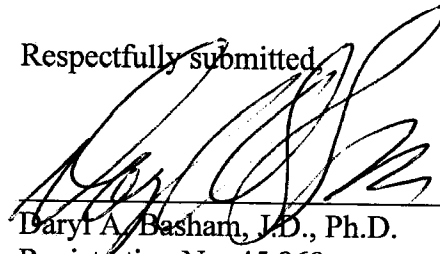
In view of the above amendment and remarks, reconsideration and favorable action on all claims are respectfully requested. In the event any matters remain to be resolved, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number given below so that a prompt disposition of this application can be achieved.

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Applicants do not believe any fees are due in connection with this Response. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that are required or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 07-1896, referencing the above-identified attorney docket number.

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